IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO WESTERN DIVISION AT CINCINNATI

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff, : Case No. 1:12-cr-127

Also Case No. 1:17-cv-436

-VS-

District Judge Susan J. Dlott

CARLOS MATEO, Magistrate Judge Michael R. Merz

Defendant. :

ORDER ADOPTING REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The Court has reviewed the Report and Recommendations of United States Magistrate Judge Michael R. Merz (ECF No. 97), to whom this case was referred pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b), and noting that no objections have been filed thereto and that the time for filing such objections under Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b) has expired, despite an extension of time, hereby ADOPTS said Report and Recommendations.

Accordingly, it is hereby ORDERED that the § 2255 Petition be DISMISSED with prejudice. Petitioner is DENIED any requested certificate of appealability and the Court hereby certifies to the United States Court of Appeals that an appeal would be objectively frivolous and therefore should not be permitted to proceed in forma pauperis.

August __24___, 2017. _____s/Susan J. Dlott

Susan J. Dlott United States District Judge